### LOCAL NEWS

G. E. Hamilton and F. H. Clarkson, of Roswell, came down from there Wednesday and attended to various business matters in Carlsbad.

Miss Donia Ferguson, night operator at the telephone exchange, who has been ill for a welk past, is recovering rapidly and will soon be able to resume her work. During Miss Ferguson's illness Miss Ella Bock has filled her place with entire satisfaction to the patrons.

John Reed and wife loaded up yesterday morning and will endeavor to reach Crow Flat. Their cattle are on that range and they go to see what damage, if any, they have sustained by the recent storm.

FOR SALE .- Fat hogs at 15c. pr. 1b. on foot or 22 1-2c. dressed. 'Phone 45B or see' W. L. ENNEFER.

Dock Vest left yesterday morning for the Joe Lusk ranch where he will endeavor to eradicate the prairie dogs and other rodents. Dock thought owing to the condition of the roads, much of the way might need to be made on foot. But he didn't let a little thing like that bother him.

STRAYED OR STOLEN .- Sometime Tuesday, a little red pig; would weigh about forty pounds. No marks. Please notify Mrs. Maggie Reed, Metropolitan hotel.

#### NOTICE.

All interested in the Otis Auxillary of the Red Cross are hereby notified that a Red Cross sale will be held in connection with the Will Ed Carter sale which is to take place December 14th. All articles donated to the auxiliary should be taken to the sale at that time.

J. D. McClelland was up from the lower valley Wednesday tending to business matters.

W. A. Finlay and daughter, Miss Catherine, returned Wednesday afternoon from Roswell. The Current is glad to state that Mr. Finlay is much better at this time.

Mrs. H. F. Christian is ill this week at her home in La Huerta, being a flu sufferer. Lieut Monroe Christian, her son, who is also ill, is improving.

### MALAGA AUXILIARY.

The Auxiliary to the Red Cross at Malaga at a recent meeting elected the following officers:

Chairman, Mrs. J. L. Williams. executive Representative to board, Mrs. F. M. Hatfield.

Secretary and treasurer, Mrs Chas. Beeman.

Executive Committee, Mesdames F. M. Hatfield, Bruce, Cochburn, Benz, and Milam.

### LOVING AUXILIARY.

Loving Auxiliary to the Cross reports the following officers for the coming year:

Chairman, Mrs. C. V. Rosson. Chairman, Mrs. Vice Weaver.

Secretary, Mrs. Ora Nymeyer, Treasurer, Mrs. Rennaker. Roll Call, Chairman Christmas

A meeting of the executive board of the Red Cross chapter, of Carlsbad, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the courthouse. Officers for the year will be elected at that time.

Mrs. Fred Weaver.

Arthur Mays, of lower Black river is in town this morning.

George Givan, son of Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Givan, left last night for Albuquerque, he being a student at the State University at that

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Page returned Wednesday night from a two months visit to friends and relatives at Carthage and Decatur, Texas. "Billikens" was at the station to meet them on their return.

Mrs. Wash Simpson and daughter, Viola, and Miss Mildred Walters left this morning for Dog Canyon where Mr. Simpson and the six year old son are at present with their sheep. They made an effort once before to make the trip but were turned back on account of the roads.

Visit our Vulcanizing department and see how well Geo. Fredericks can fix your tires and tubes. His work is guaranteed.
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Wednesday being the sixth birthday anniversary of Marguerite Becket, the little girl is rejoicing over a number of presents from her friends, a big cake and the happy thoughts of being old enough to go to school.

George Stone, who ranches on Rattlesnake Draw is in town coming yesterday.

I want to sell 720 acres of land with 2 houses on it; it is a bargain. Must sell. See:

E. L. TINNIN. 6tdec4d Carlsbad, N. M.

Joe Hudgins, of Orla, came up from there last night and will transact business in Carlsbad a day or two.

Mrs. S. P. Page came in Wednesday night from her summer's visit and has already contracted a case of the influenza and is confined to her bed. She is quite philosophical about the matter saying she is glad it didn't happen while she was from Albuqueraue. gone, and so spoil her visit.

Mrs. J. R. Boyd and little granddaughter Juanita, arrived in Carlsbad last night coming from Ozark, our school serve meals three times Arkansas, where they have been a week. The girls are getting Mrs. Boyd and the since August. little one are both glad to be at home again.

We have lately added to our already complete line of Automobile Supplies, some of those Rain Water proof and "Freeze Proof" Radiator and Hood Covers Come in and look them over. SOUTHERN AUTO CO.

This is said to be a fine season for trappers and a number of men have engaged in the business, pelts of various kinds bringing high prices. Report came that Walter Stone had the good luck to trap twenty-five coyotes recently.

Mrs. Ralph Thayer and baby boy left this morning for Queen on the mail car. Mrs. Thayer has been taking medical treatment in Carlsbad for some weeks and seems some better and being anxious to get to her pretty home in the mountains it was thought advisable for her to return.

WANTED .- Five and ten pound lard pails.

U. S. MARKET.

Hillman Lewis, trapper, is in town today from his home, south.

Raymond Livingstone is in town from the Gibson ranch where he is employed, for a short visit in town and as usual stops at the Palace while here.

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#### HOPE ITEMS.

Clyde Gant is improving after a long siege of pneumonia, and hopes to be able to come home soon.

IIt snowed here three days last

Mrs. D. E. Brownlie has returned home after a few weeks visit with her father, Mr. W. A. Major at Artesia.

Marlos Cantrell died Nov. 28, 1918, at the home of his son in the south part of town. He was 105 years old and leaves a wife and three children to mourn his We extend our heartfelt death. sympathy to this bereaved family.

Alex Young has returned home

Earl Whitaker was an Artesia visitor Tuesday. He says roads are almost untravelable.

The Domestic Science class some very helpful instruction.

Travis Coates, John Beckett and Elza Swift spent Thanksgiving in

Carl Beckett is on the sick list this week. W. L. Whitaker left Saturday

for Albuquerque. Mrs. Pete Blakeney is on the

sick list this week. We are glad to report Lucile Gibbs still improving.

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#### Woman's Missionary Society.

The regular annual meeting for the election of officers of the above named organization of the Methodist church, was held at the home of Mrs. F. E. Little yesterday after noon at 2:30 o'clock. Eleven ladies were present and many important matters of business were transact-

The election of officers resulted as follows

President, Mrs W. P. Mudgett, First Vice president, Mrs. Grantham.

Second Vice president, Mrs. M. L. Davis.

Recording secretary, Mrs.A. J. Crawford. Corresponding secretary, Mrs. C.

H. Dishman. Treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Little

Social Service superintendent, Mrs. J. F. Flowers.

Mission study superintendent, Mrs. Claude Wright.

Superintendent parsonage supplies, Mrs. V. O. McCollum.

Committees were appointed to look after various phases of church work, and a very pleasant and profitable afternoon result-

Mrs. Little, with her usual hospitality, served white cake and devils food with cocoa all of which provedafiltingfinale to the pleasure of the afternoon.

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